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"Do Anything, But Let It Produce Joy."---Walt Whitman

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As I am writing this President's message early, I want to extend my personal as well as our Board of Director's very best wishes for the Holidays and wish you all a Happy and prosperous New Year. The Holidays are a very special time to visit with families and friends. I was once again pleased to attend an outstanding Holiday event with a numismatic theme, the 28th Annual Fairfield Coin Club-Vallejo Numismatic Society Christmas Party in early December. There were nearly 90 attendees and dinner was served along with drawings, prizes and awards presented. I was very pleased to be a presenter of a prestigious N.C.N.A. award this year, The "Ron Miller Silver Medal". The 2014 recipient was Merle Avila from the Redwood Empire Coin Club in Santa Rosa. Merle has been the bourse chairman for R.E.C.C. for as long as I can remember and certainly a main support in his local coin Club. He has also authored several articles on tokens and is very knowledgeable of this subject. Interestingly, Merle purchased some of his very first tokens from Ron Miller!

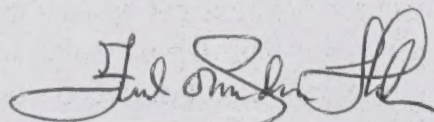
Speaking of awards: nominations may now be made for the **2015** "Ron Miller Award", and should be sent in writing (received no later than June 30, 2015) to my address below. I would like to again remind members that the N.C.N.A. Board of Directors has established the "Gordon Russell Donnell Award". This award will consist of a bronze medal with an image of Gordon on the obverse and a blank reverse, suitable for engraving the award recipient name. These medals are now available for distribution based on request by member Coin Clubs. This award is somewhat unique for the N.C.N.A., as it will be offered to N.C.N.A. member Coin Clubs (Max. 2 per year), to recognize "their" Club members who hopefully share the enthusiasm, ideals and numismatic spirit as exemplified by the late Gordon R. Donnell. This may be a very attractive way to recognize Coin Club members who have made significant contributions to the benefit of member Clubs or to our hobby in general.

Our First Annual California Numismatic Seminar on Saturday, November 29, 2014 in the Vallejo Naval and Historical Museum went very well. As such we are already in the planning stages for our second Seminar, which will be held on September 26, 2015. More details will be released as soon as speakers are booked.

An update with the situation regarding the Liberty Numismatic Society of Millbrae. I am happy to report that "a few good men" have stepped up and are working to stabilize this Club. If you are also able to help, please contact the Club. You can also help by attending and contributing to meetings.

Included with this and all issues of "Heads and Tails", is the updated N.C.N.A. Coin Show listing. This is provided as a service to our members. If your Coin Club has a Coin Show, please contact me as soon as possible to be included in our listing. Local Coin Clubs, along with State and national numismatic organizations often depend on income from their Annual Coin Shows for a majority of their operating budgets. Additionally, youth programs, coin hobby promotion events, journals and Club bulletins and educational programs to support our coin collecting hobby are often all dependant on funds generated by Coin Show activities.

Your N.C.N.A. Board is hopeful of additional innovative initiatives to improve the services we provide our hobby. I can be contacted via e mail: fredvdh@gmail.com, or by writing to P.O. Box 60484, Palo Alto, Ca. 94306-0484. Phone number: 650-380-4181



Fred G. van den Haak
December 2014

MINTMASTER'S QUILL: An Editor's Prerogative

The TIMES-HERALD (Vallejo) headline blazed 'Greatest Vallejoan Dead', referring to the untimely passing of local prominent Vallejoan physician and civic leader, Dr. James K. Hogan, for whom later a secondary school would be named to this day.

What does someone now dead soon seventy years have to do with numismatics? Candidly, nothing; yet, in my weekly volunteering and working as an archivist at the Vallejo Naval and Historical Museum, the headline and related news story made me realize----*more than my previous editorial ramblings*----that our hobby is composed of 'hobby present', 'hobby past', and 'hobby tomorrow'.

The 'hobby past' fathered the 'hobby present', and it shall nurture 'hobby tomorrow'.

Just as the local TIMES-HERALD praised the good Doctor Hogan, the thirty-plus (30+) years of NCNA HEADS AND TALES has published a legion of names, who served, who made, who lead, who toiled, and who worked for and were the 'hobby past' that beget our 'hobby present'.

To list all would forget some; but, to list a few might remind: **Ra Brown**, of the Livermore Valley Coin Club, **Ron Miller** of the Fremont Coin Club and numismatics, period, **Maxine Bryce**, of the Pacific Coast Numismatic Society, the great 'flying Finn', **Roy Hill**, **The Farnsworth's** of the Redwood Empire Coin Club, **The McCann's** of the defunct Napa Valley Coin Club, **Denis and Lilian Hooker** of our Association, **Hans Hanssen** of the San Francisco Coin Club, '**Hart**' **Fairclough** of the Diablo (Concord, California) Numismatic Society and great football coach, '**Ozzie**' **Stout**, once world traveler and exchange student, my mentor '**O.L.**' **Wallis**, quiet **George Flanagan** of the Fairfield Coin Club, the tragically killed **Jere Lefever** of the Gateway Coin Club, and so on. The roster would be long, and it is never completed or complete.

These few names give testimonial to why we here, now today, enjoy this '*hobby of kings and king of hobbies*', and just as we must pass the torch, the 'bright light' of *understanding, knowledge, camaraderie, and fellowship*, which is numismatics' real and enduring worth.

Yes, names----*many names*----were not mentioned; but, the point is not completion; rather, it is to remind that our hobby, 'this world of money', is a continuum: we here now have an obligation to insure and 'this world of money' endures, and endures against changing demographics, million dollar plus coins, social media, and competing avocations.

We need to reiterate to ourselves and to others that our hobby's lasting value is its aforementioned 'bright light' of *understanding, knowledge, camaraderie, and fellowship*.

In Vallejo, there may be less than an handful who might recollected the esteemed Dr. Hogan, as soon the years and decades shall render us to the yellowing and ripped pages of newspaper obituaries.

My point is not the past. It is the tomorrows yet to be. Those named, but a few, committed themselves and made our hobby, organized numismatics, prosper here in northern California. Now, the challenge is for us to leave the legacy onto the 'hobby tomorrow'.

"The Future Belongs To Those Who Give The Next Generation Reason For Hope."
-- Pierre Teilhard de Chardin

GOLD MINER DIGGINGS: NCNA News and Happenings

Board Meeting

President van den Haak has scheduled a Board Meeting on *Thursday, January 29, 2015, at 2:30 PM, in the Heritage Theatre, Second Floor, at the Vallejo Naval and Historical Museum, 734 Marin, at Capital, in downtown Vallejo, California.*

This venue was chosen since it is the site for our Association's planned Second Annual California Numismatic Seminar, on Saturday, September 26, 2015. The Board of Directors will review the setting plus finalize plans and preparations for the scheduled Seminar.

The primary agenda issues are the intended Seminar and future Seminars, review of our Association's finances, and hopes for the 2015 and 2016 years.

The Heritage Theatre is on the Second Floor; however, if the Museum has an event or gathering using the Theatre throughout the afternoon, the Board Meeting would be relocated. Notice of exact room or place can be learned at the docent's desk in the Museum's Lemke Rotunda entry.

Questions can be telephoned to **650-380-4181** or emailed to fredvdh@gmail.com.

2015 Dues

If you owe 2015 Dues, a Dues Notice is included with this NCNA HEADS AND TALES issue. Prompt payment is requested. No reminders shall be mailed or sent. Dues remain \$5.00 for Individuals and \$10.00 Clubs. Mail to: 'PO Box 4104, Vallejo, California, 94590-0410'.

2014 Election

Per notice on Page 6 of the September 2014 NCNA HEADS AND TALES, there were no objections received or voiced or informed; therefore, **Fred G. van den Haak**, *President*, **Jon-Maria Marish**, *First Vice-President*, **Lloyd G. Chan**, *Second Vice-President*, **Donald L. Hill**, *Secretary*, and **Michael S. Turrini**, *Treasurer* were dutifully reelected by acclamation to serve a two year term, through 2016.

2015 Miller Medal

As **President van den Haak** has announced in his Message, nominations are now be accepted for the Association's coveted 'Miller Medal'. The deadline is June 30, 2015. Mail written nominations directly to 'PO Box 60484, Palo Alto, California, 94306-0484.'

Included with this NCNA HEADS AND TALES is the revised roster of the 'Miller Medal Recipients'.

Coin Show Schedule

One of the longest and most advantageous services provided by the Association is its periodic 'Coin Show Schedule'. The success of this 'Schedule' is depended upon the timely submission of coin show information, which should be complete. Since so many local coin clubs have Website and e-mail contacts, please include that information.

2014 Seminar

While the attendance might have been better, the four presenters did outstanding programs, and the reviews afterwards confirm this judgment. Each presenter was bestowed appropriate recognition, and a DVD/video was produced of the entire event.

President van den Haak recognizes and expresses his and the Association's appreciation onto these 'Patrons'. Their support ensured a successful event with no debt and with some funding for the planned Second Annual Seminar this September 2015. This 'Patron' effort has had such a positive response that it will be repeated in 2015, with additional notice in the May 2015 NCNA HEADS AND TALES; however, if anyone wishes to remit at this time, the requested amounts remain: **\$100.00 for 'Gold Miner'** and **\$50.00 for 'Prospector'**. Mail remittance directly to 'PO Box 4104, Vallejo, California, 94590-0410'.

Benefactors

James H. Laird, as James and Lisa Laird
Alamo, California

Alexander B. 'Xan' Chamberlain
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Gold Miner

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Michael S. Turrini,
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San Francisco Coin Club

Fred G. van den Haak,
Palo Alto, California

Prospector

Paul R. Johnson,
Unionville, Ontario, Canada

Kenneth K. Takahashi,
San Francisco, California

Gratitude for this First Seminar is extended to **Lloyd G. Chan**, for the DVD/video, **Jon-Maria Marish** and **Edwin T. Hoffmark, Jr.**, Registration, **Fred G. van den Haak**, Moderator, **James E. Kern**, Executive Director Vallejo Naval and Historical Museum, **James H. Laird**, post-Seminar dinner reception, **American Numismatic Association (ANA)**, magazines and donations, and **Michael S. Turrini**, Coordinator and Promotion. Also, to **Antoinette M. Pappas**, who provided additional funding to insure the youngest presenter, **Taylor A. Webb**, would have an enjoyable experience.

2015 Seminar

Second Annual
CALIFORNIA NUMISMATIC SEMINAR
Saturday, September 26, 2015
Vallejo Naval and Historical Museum
734 Marin, at Capital, in downtown Vallejo, California
Registration Begins: 9:00 AM

Preliminary Theme Concept: *'Stories From The Vaults'*

Four or Five Presenters----Free Admissions----Door Prizes

As this NCNA HEADS AND TALES issue is being prepared, invitations have been extended to several prominent and nationally known numismatic proponents, and our Association is proud to announce that **Paul R. Johnson**, a distant Association Individual Member, from Unionville, Ontario, Canada, has accepted and shall be one of the planned presenters.

Admission is FREE, and the Museum would be open to all attendees. Door Prizes would end the day's presentations, and it is anticipated that there would be an on-site simple lunch service. The California State Numismatic Association (CSNA) Library would be open to all attendees.

Being several months away, specifics as to the presenters and their respective topics need to be finalized. The final wording of the theme will be announced in the May 2015 NCNA HEADS AND TALES. Updates would be posted on www.solanocoinclub.com, and inquiries may be to EMPERORI@juno.com.

Since pledges for 'Patrons' have been already offered, here are the 'Patron' details:

GOLD MINER	\$100.00	Name Listed In Program Letter Acknowledgment Certificate Name Posted At Seminar Engraved 'Tokens of Esteem'
PROSPECTOR	\$50.00	Name Listed In Program Letter Acknowledgment Certificate Name Posted At Seminar

Mail remittance directly to 'PO Box 4104, Vallejo, California, 94590-0410'. Recognitions would be presented during the Seminar or mailed thereafter.

RON MILLER MEMORIAL AWARD

'The Miller Medal'

Northern California Numismatic Association

YEAR	RECIPIENT	DATE	SITE OF PRESENTATION	NCNA PRESIDENT
1995	MICHAEL S. TURRINI	5-May-96	24th Vallejo Coin Show, Vallejo	Fred G. van den Haak
1996	GORDON R. DONNELL *	14-Dec-96	FCC/VNS 10th Joint Christmas Party, Fairfield	Fred G. van den Haak
1997	JAN D. HENKE	13-Dec-97	FCC/VNS 11th Joint Christmas Party, Fairfield	Gordon R. Donnell
1997	O.L. WALLIS *	13-Dec-97	FCC/VNS 11th Joint Christmas Party, Fairfield	Gordon R. Donnell
1998	EDWARD SINS	26-Sep-98	SJCC October 14, 1998 Meeting, San Jose	Gordon R. Donnell
1998	MICHAEL M. STANLEY	26-Sep-98	RECC/VNS 'Commen Night', Amercian Canyon	Gordon R. Donnell
1999	EDGAR D. FULWIDER	3-Aug-99	LNS August 3, 1999 Meeting, Millbrae	Michael M. Stanley
1999	LEE H. GONG	13-Aug-99	ANA CONECA Banquet, Chicago	Michael M. Stanley
2000	<i>None Presented</i>			
2001	DR. WALTER A. OSTROMECKI, JR.	28-Jul-01	4th Annual Nor-Cal Show Banquet, Concord	Michael M. Stanley
2002	ALVIN H.W. LO	14-Dec-02	FCC/VNS 16th Joint Christmas Party, Fairfield	Michael M. Stanley
2003	FRED G. van den HAAK	13-Dec-03	FCC/VNS 17th Joint Christmas Party, Fairfield	Michael M. Stanley
2004	KENNETH J. BARR	4-Dec-04	Nor-Cal V Show Dinner, Fremont	Michael M. Stanley
2004	VINCENT O. LACARIERE	4-Dec-04	Nor-Cal V Show Dinner, Fremont	Michael M. Stanley
2005	<i>None Presented</i>			
2006	DENIS N. HOOKER *	13-Jan-07	San Jose, California by <i>Edward Sins</i>	Harry W. Davis
2007	MARK Wm. CLARK	28-Mar-08	SFCC March 28, 2008 Meeting, San Francisco	Harry W. Davis
2008	BRIITA M. EHLERS	9-Dec-08	FCC December 9, 2008 Meeting, Fremont	Harry W. Davis
2008	DONALD S. EHLERS	9-Dec-08	FCC December 9, 2008 Meeting, Fremont	Harry W. Davis
2009	SYDNEY M. KASS	5-Dec-09	FCC/VNS 23rd Joint Christmas Party, Fairfield	Harry W. Davis
2009	JAMES H. LAIRD	5-Dec-09	FCC/VNS 23rd Joint Christmas Party, Fairfield	Harry W. Davis
2010	HARRY W. DAVIS	4-Dec-10	FCC/VNS 24th Joint Christmas Party, Fairfield	Harry W. Davis
2010	IRENE CARRILLO	4-Dec-10	FCC/VNS 24th Joint Christmas Party, Fairfield	Harry W. Davis
2011	<i>None Presented</i>			
2012	<i>None Presented</i>			
2013	<i>None Presented</i>			
2014	MERLE V. AVILA	13-Dec-14	FCC/VNS 28th Joint Christmas Party, Vallejo	Fred G. van den Haak
Note: 'The Miller Medal' is presented and awarded by and from the Northern California Numismatic Association (NCNA), with a maximum of two (2) per calendar year. It is named for the late Ronald Lee Miller (1944--1993), and it is NCNA's highest and most esteemed honor. The award is an engraved silver medal with a portrait of the late 'Ron' Miller plus a small walnut wall plaque. Nominations are called for each January with the selection by the NCNA's Board of Directors.				
			Deceased *	

The Modern Sovereign – The Royal Mints

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The modern sovereign is composed of 22K gold with a gold weight of .2354 troy ounces and measures 22.05 mm in diameter. It was produced as circulating currency from 1817 to 1932 (the United Kingdom went off the gold standard in 1931). The sovereign was minted sporadically after 1932 as a bullion and proof coin and continues to be minted today.

The sovereign was produced at the Tower Hill Mint in London, England, from inception until the mint was moved to Llantrisant, Wales in 1975. According to Wikipedia the last coin struck at the Tower was a sovereign in November of 1975. There was no mintmark placed on any sovereigns minted in London or Wales.

The London Mint was the sole producer of sovereigns until the Australian gold strike of the mid-19th Century. The vast amount of gold mined in Australia led to the founding of the first overseas branch mint in Sydney in 1855. The first sovereigns produced in Sydney had no mintmark. These sovereigns featured a distinctive reverse with the country "AUSTRALIA" across the center and the words "SYDNEY MINT" and "ONE SOVEREIGN" across the top and bottom perimeters respectively.



"AUSTRALIA" Sovereign



Victoria Shield Reverse – Sydney Mint

In 1871 the AUSTRALIA reverse was retired and the mint mark "S" was added to existing shield and St George designs. On the shield design the mint mark is located on the reverse just above the rose. On the early Victoria St George designs the mint mark was located on the obverse just below Victoria's neck truncation. Later in Victoria's reign the mint mark was moved to the St George reverse and was located in the center of the ground plane just above the date.



Victoria Young Head Obverse – Melbourne Mint



St. George Reverse – Sydney Mint

Over next few decades Australian branch mints opened in Melbourne (mint mark "M") in 1872 and in Perth (mint mark "P") in 1899. The Sydney mint closed in 1926 due to an aging facility and equipment. The Melbourne and Perth mints continued to produce sovereigns until Australia officially went off the gold standard in 1931.

When gold was discovered in Canada in the Yukon and British Columbia, the Royal Mint opened the Ottawa branch mint. This mint produced sovereigns from 1908 until 1919. These all had the St. George reverse and carried the mint mark "C" on the reverse.

High demand for gold coin in India prompted the Royal mint to open another branch in Bombay (now Mumbai), India. It produced sovereigns for only one year in 1918. However in this one year the Bombay mint produced more sovereigns than the Ottawa mint did in its twelve years. These all had the St. George reverse and carried the mint mark "I" on the reverse. Recent demand for gold coin in India led to the Royal Mint reopening an India mint in Mumbai in 2013, again using the St. George reverse with the "I" mint mark.

The final branch of the Royal mint opened in Pretoria, South Africa in 1923. Again this was because of significant gold mining in the area. Sovereigns struck in Pretoria all had the St. George reverse and carried the mint mark of "SA". The Pretoria mint continued to produce sovereigns until 1932. King George V who reigned from 1910 until 1936 is the only British monarch to have sovereigns bearing his effigy from all seven branches of the Royal Mint.

COIN SHOW SCHEDULE

These coin Club show listings are provided as a free service to the numismatic community by the Northern California Numismatic Association. Show listings are updated quarterly and are available without cost to member Coin Clubs. If you would like to have a show listed, please send all pertinent show information early to: N.C.N.A., Fred G. van den Haak, P.O. Box 60484, Palo Alto, Ca. 94306-0484. You may also e mail the information to: fredvdh@gmail.com

The joint website for the Fairfield Coin Club, Solano Silver Round Club, Vallejo Numismatic Society and Northern California Numismatic Association is: www.solanocoinclub.com

- Jan. 23-25, 2015 **SAN JOSE.** San Jose Coin Club 47th Annual Coins and Collectibles Show, Doubletree Hotel (Bayshore Ballroom), 2050 Gateway Place, San Jose 95110. Bourse Chair: Ray Johnson, P.O. Box 10416, San Jose, CA 95157-1416. Phone: 408-598-7772, Email: SanJoseCoins@aol.com Website: www.sanjosecoinclub.org **Admission \$4 (\$2 off with any Show advertising!)**
- Feb. 13-14
2015 **SANTA ROSA.** Redwood Empire Coin Club 47th Annual Show, E.L. Finley Hall, Sonoma County Fairgrounds, 1350 Bennett Valley Road, Santa Rosa. Bourse: Merle Avila (707) 585-3711 or (707) 824-4811 eves. **Admission \$1, under 12 free.**
- Feb. 15, 2015 **SAN JOSE.** "Cupertino" Coin Club 43rd Annual Coin Show, Napredak Hall, 770 Montague Expressway, San Jose. Bourse: Bruce Braga (408) 839-1883 or Cupertino Coin Club, P.O. Box 448, Cupertino, CA 95015-0448. Free Parking. **Admission: \$2 adults, youth 17 and under free.**
- Mar. 1, 2015 **LIVERMORE.** Livermore Valley Coin Club 52nd Annual Coin Show, Elks Lodge, 940 Larkspur, Livermore. Bourse: Steve Kramer, P.O. Box 610, Livermore, Ca. 94551. Phone (925) 422-3794.
- APRIL 3-4, 2015 **SACRAMENTO.** "2015" Wests Token Jamboree, Western Token Society, Clarion Hotel, 1401 Arden Way, Sacramento. Bourse/Information: Merle Avila (707) 585-3711 or (707) 824-4811 eves.
- May 1-2, 2015 **SACRAMENTO** Sacramento Valley Coin Club Annual Spring Coin Show. Four Points by Sheraton, 4900 Duckhorn Drive, Sacramento 95834. Hours 10AM-6PM on Friday 10AM to 6PM and Saturday 10AM-4PM. Bourse: Robert Shanks, 10 Fox Oak Court, Sacramento, CA 95831. Phone: 916-204-5168. Ample Free parking. **Admission \$3, Under 18 FREE.**
- May 17, 2015 **VALLEJO.** Vallejo Numismatic Society 43rd Annual Show, Florence Douglas Senior Center, 333 Amador (between Georgia and Florida), Vallejo. Bourse: Edwin Hoffmark, Jr. P O Box 4281, Vallejo, Ca. 94590-0428 Phone: 707-642-8754. E Mail: paper4coin@yahoo.com

- JUNE 20-1, 2015 **MODESTO**. Stanislaus County Coin Club's Modesto Coin & Collectibles Expo, Modesto Centre Plaza, 1000 L Street, Modesto. Bourse; Dan Brown, SCCC, P.O. Box 1672, Modesto, Ca. 95353, Phone: 1-800-471-2319 ext. 1.
- JUNE 28, 2015 **ALAMEDA**. Alameda Coin Show. Bourse Chair: Mike Leong, Phone: 510-529-8129, Email: mleong12@sbcglobal.net Further details will be included as soon as they are announced.
- July 25-6, 2015 **FREMONT**. Fremont Coin Club 43rd Annual Show, Elk's Hall, 38991 Farwell Drive, Fremont, Ca. Information: (510) 792-1511; Bourse: Vince Lacariere, P.O. Box 1401, Fremont, Ca. 94538
- Aug. 9, 2015 **FAIRFIELD**. Fairfield Coin Club 26th Annual Coin Show, Willow Room, Fairfield Community Center (downtown), 1000 East Kentucky off Pennsylvania. **Admission \$2, \$1 with flyer or card!**
Bourse Coordinator: Robert Belleau (707) 567-6938, P.O.Box 944, Fairfield, CA 94533-0094
- Sept. 26, 2015 **VALLEJO**. The 2nd Annual Northern California Numismatic Seminar, sponsored by The Northern California Numismatic Association. Vallejo Naval and Historical Museum, 73 Marin Street at Capital, in Downtown Vallejo. Four speakers have been scheduled. Registration for this all day event begins at 9AM with presentations beginning at 10AM; the afternoon program begins at 2PM. This is a "FREE" event and there will be door prizes and all interested collectors are welcome to attend. Ample free parking is available. Updates: www.solanocoinclub.com. Questions: EMPERORI@juno.com or 707-246-6327
- Oct. 9-11, 2015 **WALNUT CREEK**. Diablo Numismatic Society. 19th Annual Contra Costa Coin and Collectables Show, Elk's Lodge 1475 Creekside Dr., Walnut Creek. Diablo Numismatic Society, P.O. Box 177, Concord, Ca. 94522. Website: diablocoinclub.org Bourse: James Laird (925) 200-2276. Hours: Friday 1-6PM, Saturday 10AM-6PM and Sunday 10AM-5PM. **ADMISSION \$3.**
- Oct. 17-18, 2015 **STOCKTON**. Delta Coin Club 51st Annual Coin Show, Eagles Hall, 1492 Bourbon Street, Stockton. Bourse: Ruben Smith III, P.O. Box 5787, Stockton, CA. 95205. Phone (209) 982-5961, E Mail: rubensmith@hotmail.com.
- Oct. 24-5, 2015 **FRESNO**. Fresno Coin Club Annual Coin Show, Las Palmas Masonic Center, 2992 E. Clinton Avenue, Fresno 93702-2320. Bourse Chair: Richard Hunter, Phone: 559-738-8128 **ADMISSION \$2.**